

May 1, 2019

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RE: Final Response to FOIA Request dated April 29, 2019

Pursuant to the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, 29 Del.C. Ch. 100

Docket No. 4079-2019

Dear Mr. Rudenberg:

This letter responds to your Freedom of Information Act request (the "FOIA Request") directed to the Delaware Department of Insurance (the "Department") dated April 29, 2019 requesting the following information:

Request:

Pursuant to the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records: I request access to all records relating to closed automotive claims for commercial automobile insurance. Each record should include the following elements: - 17 digit Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of insured - 17 digit VIN ID of claimant(s) - DOT/MC# of insured - Vehicle make, model, year - License plate number/state - Time/date of accident - Location of accident - Description of accident - Record locator/ID for filed police report - Incurred loss value (property damage) - Date claim closed (bodily injury) - Was legal suit filed? - Was case settled or trial? - Number of fatalities - Number of injuries. The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes. In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not. Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 15 business days, as the statute requires. Please note that I am a citizen of Delaware, and am using MuckRock's services to help manage and track my request.

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Response:

The Department has no records responsive to the FOIA Request. Pursuant to the Department's FOIA Regulation, 8 *Del. Admin. Code* 700, Section 3.3.2, the Department of Insurance has forwarded your FOIA Request to the Delaware Department of Transportation at <u>DOT.FOIA@state.de.us</u>, as this request would more appropriately be directed to the Delaware Department of Transportation.

Please visit https://www.deldot.gov/OnlineServices/foia/index.shtml for additional information.

This concludes the Department's response to the FOIA Request.

Sincerely,

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